

STC Service Delivery Options

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Tech Prep

Tech Prep is a four-year planned sequence of study for a technical field, beginning in the 11th grade. The sequence extends through postsecondary occupational education or an apprenticeship program of at least two years following secondary instruction. The program culminates in a certificate or associate degree.

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Magnet (VTSS, Agriculture/Aquaculture Centers, Charter Schools)

A magnet school is an occupational high school that supports integration of academics and applied education in the context of the chosen career cluster. Magnet schools include the Vocational-Technical School System (VTSS), Agricultural Science and Technology/Aquaculture Centers and Charter Schools.

School-Based Enterprise

School-based enterprises create workplace experiences and opportunities through business created and operated by students. For these businesses to be realistic and accountable, they must include business functions such as bookkeeping, accounting, advertising, and marketing. Students gain entrepreneurial experience as well as academic and applied education skills.

Comprehensive High School

This option can be used in conjunction with all other service delivery options as a way of organizing the curriculum. Academic and applied education teachers work together (possibly in teams), discover connections among their respective content areas and plan instruction to support those connections.

Career Academy

Each academy is a school-within-a-school that takes approximately 50 entering students a year and provides them with a 3- or 4-year program integrating their academic learning with the study of an industry and the careers of the people who work in it.

Other

Junior Achievement provides in-school career awareness and school-based enterprise opportunities.
Jobs for America's Graduates, Inc. (JAG) offers two school-to-work transition programs for at-risk students.